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PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 2508.0103

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Jacques CHEVALLET et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1723
	)	
Application No.: 10/801,830	)	Examiner: Sun U. Kim
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Filed: March 17, 2004	)	
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For: APPARATUS AND PROCESS	)	Confirmation No.: 5171
FOR EXTRACORPOREAL	)	
TREATMENT OF BLOOD WITH	)	
SELECTIVE EXTRACTION OF	)	
SOLUTES	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Office Action mailed May 16, 2006, the period for response to which extends through August 16, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this Reply.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this Reply.